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SUBJECT: VISIT BY DOD FIELD SURVEY TEAM

REFERENCE: STATE 169559

- 1. VISIT OF DOD TEAM TO MEXICO WOULD BE SOMEWHAT SENSITIVE MATTER IN THAT IT COULD IRRITATE GOM WHICH, AS DEPARTMENT AWARE, SEEKS TO AVOID ANY ASSOCIATION WITH "MILITARY ASSISTANCE."
- 2. SINCE WE HAVE NO MAAG/MILGP HERE AND ONLY A VERY SMALL GRANT PROGRAM (TRAINING ONLY), WE ARE NOT CERTAIN WHY TEAM WISHES TO VISIT MEXICO. WE PRESUME SPECIFIC INTEREST COULD BE TO EVALUATE CASE IN WHICH DAO PERFORMS SOME MILGP-TYPE FUNCTIONS. IF, FOR THIS OR OTHER PURPOSE, MEXICO VISIT WOULD ASSIST TEAM SIGNIFICANTLY IN ITS REVIEW, WE CONCUR IN ITS COMING. AS REFTEL INDICATES, THERE SHOULD BE NO UNIFORMS, NO CONTACT WITH GOM OFFICIALS AND, WE WOULD ADD, NO PUBLICITY.
- 3. COUNTRY TEAM WILL, OF COURSE, COOPERATE FULLY. DOD TEAM MIGHT WISH TO NOTE THAT BY TIME OF THEIR VISIT NEW DATT WILL HAVE BEEN ON STATION LESS THAN TWO MONTHS AND DAO'S NEW MAP OFFICER ONLY ONE OR TWO WEEKS.

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